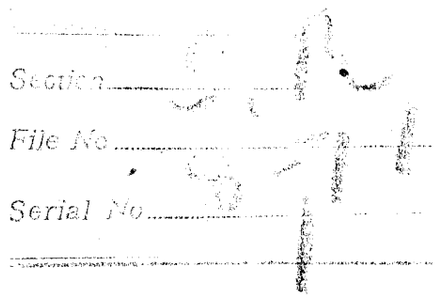

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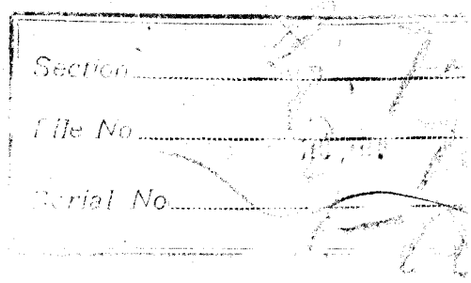

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To The Supt of Excise

Sir, I am directed to state that the Chief Secretary considers the explanation given in your letter No. 347/89 of the 16th instant sufficient to account for the apparent falling off of the Abkarri Revenue in the Chittagong District.

2. Colonel Keatinge observes that Govt has no wish to increase the Consumption of spirits for the purpose of deriving a large Revenue thereby, but the Object of the Excise Distillery system is to raise the largest possible Revenue from a minimum Consumption, and the only point to be guarded against is the imposition of too heavy a rate of duty, which might lead to the establishment of illicit stills. With due caution in this point the highest possible revenue should be maintained.

I am &c
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25/10/71.

To Dacca, noted 31/10/71 Supt Excise

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To

The Superintendent of the
Nagar Division.

Dated 25th October

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States that the explanation given in letter No. 347/89 of the 16th Instant for the apparent falling off of the Abkarri Revenue in the Chemoja Dte is satisfactory.

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